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VIA ECF

The Honorable Judge Margo K. Brodie  
United States District Court  
for the Eastern District of New York  
225 Cadman Plaza East  
Courtroom 6F  
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Magistrate Judge Joseph A. Marutollo  
United States District Court  
for the Eastern District of New York  
225 Cadman Plaza East  
Courtroom N324  
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Re: *In re Payment Card Interchange Fee and Merchant Discount Antitrust Litigation*,  
No. 1:05-MD-1720 (MKB)(JAM)

Dear Judges Brodie and Marutollo:

Rule 23(b)(3) Class Counsel (“Class Counsel”) attach as Exhibit A a funding request from Epiq regarding June and July 2024 activities. The invoices total \$30,286,555.60. One invoice seeks a pre-payment related to the printing and mailing of additional claim forms. The other relates to data preparation, conflict processing, staffing the toll-free number and email inbox to respond to class member questions, maintaining and updating the settlement website, third-party filer communications, and periodic reporting for counsel.

Class Counsel request that the Court approve the funding request of \$30,286,555.60. The requested funds should be paid from the Class Settlement Cash Escrow Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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Exhibit A

cc: All Counsel via ECF